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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Bo LIU et al.

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: Group Art Unit 1774

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INK JET RECORDING MATERIAL AND
PRODUCING PROCESS THEREOF

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RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,
Washington, D.C.

**RESPONSE UNDER 37. CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 1774**

Sir:

In response to the Final Rejection dated June 19, 2002, please amend the present
application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly amend the following claims:

1. **(Thrice Amended)** An ink jet recording material comprising:
a support; and
one or more recording layers provided on said support;
wherein each of said recording layers contain colloidal particles and a water-soluble resin;

and

a peak on a pore diameter distribution curve of said recording layers lies in a pore
diameter only in the range of 2 nm to 100 nm.

4. **(Twice Amended)** The ink jet recording material according to claim 1, wherein said
support has a recording layer having a plurality of layers, at least an uppermost layer and a second
layer of said plurality of layers containing colloidal silica.

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